(d) To the extent details are available onlv Droduction of Febendazole and Mor- ental and its s^t was commenced, Production details are as follows:

Item	Name of the company	Production	
		1983-84	1984-85
(i) Morental & its salts	Pfizer Ltd.	375 Kgs.	Nil.
(ii) Fenbendazole	Hoechst	0.56 tonnes (1983)	0.9o tonnes (1984)

(e) Except for Refampicin, no other drug is specified in (the First two schedules of DPCO, 1979.

(f) to (h) Do not arise.

Representation against price fixation for Multivitamins

2187. SHRI (MOLANA) ASRARUL HAQ: Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state;

(a) whether it is a fact that certain companies represented under Para 27 of Drugs Price Control Order, 1979 against the prices fixed for multivitamin formulations formulated in accordance with Sche-dule-V of Drugs and Cosmetic Act;

(b) if so, names of those companies, products, composition of each and date of representations made by each;

(c) whether any representation is still pending;

(d) if so, details and reasons thereof;

(e) names of the companies who are still selling their multivitamin products at their own prices;

(f) what are the fixed and present price of each product of each company and since when each company is marketing at their own prices;

(g) when drug formulators revised the composition and when were the prices fix ed; and

(h) whether it is a fact that due to delay in fixation of prices companies made huge profits, if so, what are the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF CHEMICALS AND PETROCHEMICALS (SHRI R. K. JAI-CHANDRA SINGH): (a)to (d) After the prices of multivitamin formulations formulated in accordance with Schedule V, were announced on 12m August, 1983 a number o£ companies submitted their xe- . presentations under Paragraph 27 of Drugs (Prices Control) Order, 1979. After decisions on iheir representations were taken, most of the major companies like M|s, Sarabhai Chemicals and Glaxo Laboratories complied with prices fixed by the Government. Companies like Pfizer, Sandoz, Abbot, Parke Davis, Warner Hindustan and Biological Evans are however operating with the prices allowed by the High Courts.

(e) and (f). Information \vou!cl be collected and laid on the Table of the Rajya Sabha.

(g) and (h) The prices of reformulated multivitamin products were fixed on 12th, August, 1983. Prices were fixed after decision on the markup to be cdlowed on such formulations was taken by the Government. Date of actual marketing of formulations with revised composition in accordance with Schedule V of each formulation by each company is not known and the time and efforts involved in collecting these details would *aot* be commensurate with the results likely to be achieved.

Capacity re-endorsement of Drugs

2188. SHRIMATI MAIMOONA .SUL-TAN: Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government's attention has been drawn to the news item captioned